



Outdoor Education

North Carolina's system of Educational State Forests has been developed for use as living outdoor classrooms to teach children and the public that forests are complex, interdependent ecosystems, which can be managed for a diversity of uses on a sustainable basis.

Ranger conducted classes are available to groups of 10 or more people visiting the forest. These classes have been correlated to meet various science and social studies curriculum guidelines. Instructors' activity packets and special study sites are available to assist teachers or other group leaders in using the forest as an outdoor classroom.

Project Learning Tree, Project Wet, and "Investigating Your Environment" workshops are available for teachers, natural resource professionals or other group leaders. Call the office to schedule classes or check workshop schedules.

Picnic Facilities

Be sure to bring a picnic lunch with you. Picnic sites with tables and grills are available. A spacious picnic shelter, complete with a massive stone fireplace, is available for groups. Reservations for the shelter are required.



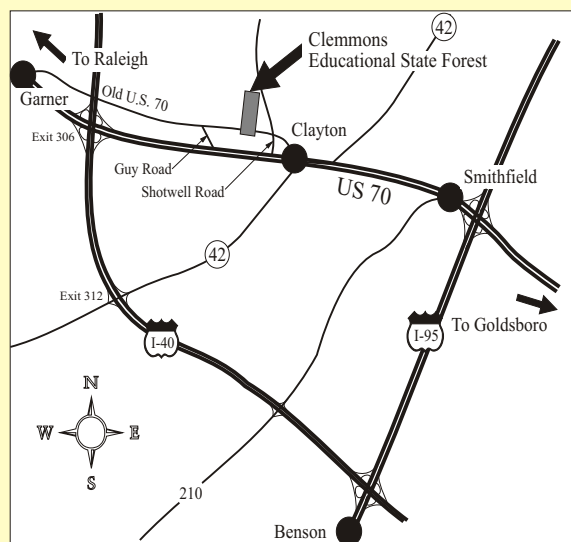
The forest at a glance-

- Outdoor Education
- Workshops
- Picnic Facilities
- Water Quality Classroom
- River Basin Deck
- Ranger-Conducted Classes
- Trails

Forest Geology Trail with "Talking Rocks"

Talking Tree Trail

Forest Demonstration Trail



Forest Season

Mid-March to Mid-November

Closed Mondays

Tues. - Fri. 9:00-5:00

Sat. & Sun. 11:00-5:00 EST

11:00-8:00 DST

Phone: (919) 553-5651

ClemmonsESF.DFR@ncmail.net

2411 Old US 70 West, Clayton, NC 27520

www.ncesf.org



Michael Easley
Governor

William G. Ross Jr.
Secretary



15,000 copies of this document were printed at a cost of \$1,370.00, or .09 each.

CLEMMONS

Educational State Forest



Welcome to Clemmons Educational State Forest, a unique outdoors experience! Located between the Piedmont and the Coastal Plain, Clemmons' pine stands and hardwoods are set on pleasant, rolling terrain highlighted by streams and rock formations. These features are accessible by a series of well-marked trails, accented by exhibits and displays depicting the ecology of a managed forest.